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HEAP LEACHING OF LOW GRADE NICKEL OR COBALT
CONTAINING MATERIAL
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Response to Office Action of June 6, 2008

Sir:

This Reply is being filed in response to the Office Action dated June 6, 2008.

Please consider the amendments and responsive remarks provided herewith.

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- **Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.